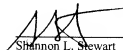


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Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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Total Claims Fee	14	*97		x \$25.00	x \$50.00	0
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Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$180.00	\$360.00	
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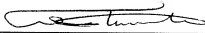
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